

# Notes of the Women's Clubs—Affairs in Society

## Women's Clubs Arrange Busy Programs for Week

**New York Mozart Society to Give Morning Musical; Minerva to Hold Luncheon; Other Organizations List Card Parties and Benefits for Pet Charities**

Most of the women's clubs will have either business or social meetings this week, several of the musical organizations will give their second concerts, and others will hold card parties for their pet charities. The New York Mozart Society will hold its second morning musical on Saturday, followed by luncheon and dancing in the afternoon, at the Hotel Astor; Minerva will hold its second luncheon and meeting of the season to-morrow at the Waldorf-Astoria; the Women's Conference of the Society for Ethical Culture will have its monthly meeting to-morrow afternoon at 2 West Sixty-fourth Street, when Walter Prichard Eaton will speak on "The Modern English and Irish Drama in Relation to Some Vital Questions of the Day"; the Daughters of Pennsylvania will celebrate its fifth birthday on Thursday with a luncheon, and several other affairs of interest in club life will take place.

### Mrs. McConnell to Entertain

A meeting of the Junior Cabinet of the New York Mozart Society, Mrs. Noble McConnell president, will be held at the Hotel Astor to-morrow. Afterward Mrs. McConnell will take the members to see "Way Down East" and return with them to the Astor for tea. The senior chaperones assisting Mrs. McConnell will be Mrs. Samuel G. Estabrook, Mrs. Edward B. Schmalholz, Mrs. William Maynard Haraden and Mrs. Augustus V. Wendell. The official chaperones of the society, who also will be present, are Mrs. Donald Alexander Green, chairman; Mrs. Maurice J. Collins, Mrs. T. Wright Hare, Mrs. Harold E. Julien, Mrs. J. Fred Klages, Mrs. Horace A. Ketcham, Mrs. George E. Morrissey and Mrs. Arthur Stuart MacWhinney. The members of the cabinet are Miss Evelyn Estabrook, chairman; Miss Bessie Worthen Stevens, vice-chairman; Miss Vivian Albancus, Miss Ida F. Braun, Miss Eleanor G. Boerum, Miss Dorothy Bentley, Miss Elsie Bickman, Miss Elizabeth F. Coffin, Miss Mabel Cervantes, Miss Anna Franklin Crane, Miss Regina Duff, Miss Elfrabeth J. Edwards, Miss Grace Adelaide Hession, Miss Florence M. Hadley, Miss Maude A. M. Janes, Miss Dorothy M. Kennedy, Miss Margaret Klein, Miss J. Danthea Moffat, Miss Florence McCullagh, Miss Clara E. McWilliams, Miss Georgina McFarnan, Miss Madeleine L. McKee, Miss Avis Macdonald, Miss Katherine H. Otis, Miss Marjorie L. Stevens, Miss Beatrice E. Sillo, Miss Kathryn Scheerer, Miss Helen A. Stoehr, Miss Charlotte Southworth, Miss Adrienne C. Soldin, Miss Irene B. Trumbull, Miss Josephine Titus, Miss Vera Van Praagh, Miss

Martha Whitefield, Miss May Whitefield and Miss Aline Walton; associate members, Miss Eleanor Buckhout and Miss Maria Cecile Carr; junior members, Miss Angela Cochran, chairman; Miss Margaret McCandless, vice-chairman; Miss Adelaide Shays and Miss Celeste Shays.

The second morning musicale, luncheon and dance of the New York Mozart Society will be held Saturday at the Hotel Astor. The artists will be Chio Coppelican, baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Company; Charlotte Hollander, contralto; Antonio Certani, cellist, and Charles Gilbert Spross, accompanist.

### Rubinstein Club Concert

The first evening concert for this season of the Rubinstein Club, Mrs. William Rogers Chapman president, will be given December 14, in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria. Laurence Leonard will be the soloist, and Mr. Chapman will conduct an orchestra of sixty musicians, presenting the "Russian Fairy Tales" by Liadov, "The Ballet of the Hours" from "La Gioconda" by Ponchielli; the overture to "La Forza del Destino" by Verdi, and several new numbers. The choral will sing a program of part songs, including the new arrangement of the "Cujus Animam" from the "Stabat Mater" by Rossini, "The Last Hour" by Walter Kramer, "Knowest Thou the Land" from "Nigun" by Ambrose Thomas; "A Hymn of Thanksgiving" by Kremer; "Memories of the Dance" by Stokowski; "Memories" by Gaden; "The Nightingale and the Rose" by Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakoff; "Narcissus" by Nevin-Martel, and several short numbers by Vanderpool.

The American Criterion Society, Mrs. Leonard L. Hill president, will give the December luncheon of the association next Friday at the Hotel Commodore. The luncheon will be called "Authors' Day," and among the guests of honor will be playwrights, poets and writers of fiction.

Louis Tracy, of London; Mrs. Mary Austin, Mrs. Margaret Prescott Montague, Miss Rita Weiman, Charles Coburn and Mrs. Coburn will be among the guests of honor. Preceding the luncheon a reception will be held in the foyer to the grand ballroom. Mrs. William Smith Young, chairman of the reception committee, will present the club members and their guests to Mrs. Hill. Among the other officers of the club in the reception line will be Mrs. William S. Demarest, Mrs. Sidney B. Whitlock, Mrs. John Strother Gaines Jr., Mrs. Alexis F. Benson, Mrs. Marion Zabriskie, Mrs. Redell Parker, Mrs. Hubert Templeton Pearson, Mrs. Cora Welles Trow, Mrs. L. A. Cushman, Mrs. George W. Howes, Mrs. William J. Sloane, Mrs. Charles L. Paterno, Mrs. George W. Hanna and Mrs. John C. Turner. Mrs. Cora Welles Trow, as chairman of the program committee, announces that Mr. Tracy will make a plea for the restoration of the "Authors' Day," he being in this country on that mission. Mrs. Austin is to talk on Mexico, and Mrs. Montague will discuss the methods necessary for success as a prize winner in short story contests. Plays and their making will be gone into by Miss Weiman and Mr. Coburn. The musical numbers of the afternoon will be contributed by Miss Maude Loebe, sixteen years old, who recently joined the ranks of professional pianists.

### Rainy Day Club to Meet

The Rainy Day Club of America, Mrs. A. M. Palmer president, will have a social day Wednesday, with Mrs. F. D. Bennett and Mrs. Frank Martin as chairmen. An unusual feature will be representatives of the High School Poetry Society of Greater New York. Joseph Felehin, Gertrude Ryder Bennett and C. Porter Quinn, representing the club, will read their poems. Mrs. Stuyvesant, De Witt Clinton and Erasmus Hall high schools, will present original prize poems. Martha Foot Crow, adviser for poetry in the General Federation of Women's Clubs, will be the speaker.

The next social day of Athené, Mrs. Katherine C. Martin president, will be held Thursday in the Astor Gallery of the Waldorf-Astoria, the chairman of the day being Mrs. Burnet T. Weaman and Mrs. Charles G. Brexmar. Francis Winslow will deliver an address. The guests of honor will include Mrs. Francis Winslow, Mrs. J. Christopher Marks, Mrs. James Hutton, Mrs. Ed. Litchner and Mrs. T. S. Jenkins. Full details are being arranged by the chairman, Mrs. Edward Epstein, for a subscription dance for Athené to be given Saturday afternoon in the auditorium of the Waldorf-Astoria. This will be the only afternoon dance Athené will give during the year.

A charity bridge and five hundred will be given Thursday by the Michigan Women in New York, Mrs. J. J. Bush president, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, from 2 to 5 o'clock. The proceeds will be for Christmas charities for children. Tickets are \$1. Checks may be made payable to Mrs. Arnold Davis, 3647 Broadway.

The Daughters of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Walter S. Comly president, will celebrate the organization's fifth birthday by a luncheon at the Hotel Astor on Thursday at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Comly was unanimously elected president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at the recent state convention held in Utica.

The next meeting of the Veteran Association of Women War Workers, Mrs. R. De Mille Brown president, will be held Friday evening at the Hotel Pennsylvania. The speakers will be Miss Sarah Elkus, director of Americanization of greater New York; Mrs. Edward Everts, chairman of Americanization, Brooklyn Council of Jewish Women; and Miss Helen Cooley.

At the fourth bi-monthly meeting of the Washington Heights Women's Club, held Monday last at the Fort Washington Library, the address of the



afternoon was given by Dr. Winifred Sackville Stoner on the subject of "Natural Education." Dr. Stoner was introduced by Mary Haudel Stoddard, chairman of the lecture committee. Mrs. Thaddeus Wilkerson, the president, presided.

The Portia Club, of the City of New York, Inc., Mrs. Edward Allen, Albright, president, held its second meeting of the season at the Hotel Astor, November 18. Judge Jean Norris, of the City Magistrates' Court, was the speaker. The subject was "The Law as Applied in the Magistrates' Courts of the City of New York."

The Wall Street Women's Club will have a dinner at the Hotel Pennsylvania, December 8, when Thomas G. T. Chinn will speak on "The Vision of the Business Woman," and John Worden Elwood will talk on "Radio."

Philo met last Monday at the home of its president, Mrs. Eugenia Chapman, 230 Riverside Drive. The subject was "Community Interests," and among the speakers were Mme. Von Kerner, the Rev. Dr. John Haynes Holmes, Mrs. Sherwood Mall and Mrs. Walter Comly. A birthday luncheon of the Daughters of Ohio, Mrs. Edmund W. Kingsland, president, was held Monday at the Waldorf-Astoria. Mrs. Joseph R. McGrua was chairman and arranged a musical program, which included numbers by George Reincher, tenor; William C. Gordon, baritone; the Joyce sisters, quartet; and Arthur A. Penn, pianist. The guests of honor included Mrs. Belle de Rivera, Mrs. Harry Lilly, Mrs. Walter S. Comly, Mrs. A. M. Palmer, Mrs. Helen Whitman, Eileen, Miss Margaret Prescott Montague, Mrs. Samuel J. Kramer, the Rev. Dr. Milo H. Gates, Miss Lila Robeson, Colonel E. J. Bown and Amelia Bingham.

### Theater Assembly Gives Dance

The first supper dance of the Theater Assembly, Mrs. J. Christopher Marks, president, was held on Tuesday at the Hotel Astor. Mrs. C. L. Greig was chairman of the committee, and Mrs. Charles Meyers chairman of the hostesses. The hostesses included Mrs. L. E. Barrett, Mrs. William H. Baker, Mrs. J. S. Beresford, Mrs. William J. Bissell, Mrs. Andrew J. Cole, Mrs. N. L. Cullen, Mrs. Herman G. Conrad, Mrs. Dora Davies, Miss Mary Duffy, Mrs. B. J. Forsythe, Mrs. Edward Hawkinson, Mrs. F. E. Hine, Mrs. H. Julia Hutchinson, Mrs. Th. Haeder, Mrs. J. Christopher Marks, Mrs. L. V. Marrer, Mrs. F. D. Nittower, Mrs. L. B. Niver, Mrs. Albert L. Page, Mrs. P. G. Sawyer, Mrs. J. H. Seoble, Mrs. Herbert C. Smyth, Mrs. W. F. Spies, Mrs. F. E. Thal, Mrs. Edward Wells, Mrs. C. J. Williams, Mrs. E. G. Williams and Mrs. F. W. Wright.

The Canadian Club of New York will give a dinner dance in the grand ballroom of the Hotel Biltmore Friday night, when the first showing of the new film, "The Foreigner," based on Ralph Connor's book of the same name, will be shown.

Among those who will attend the dance are Arthur Knowlson, president; Dr. M. G. MacNevin, Dr. John Skilken, Dr. Chambers Reid, William Hogg, E. P. Humberford, John H. Fulton, Ellis G. Bogart, John R. Christie, Alfred O. Tate, George A. Powers, Frank L. Stratton, Albert Oliver, F. J. E. Fitzpatrick, Dr. Charles F. Jones, Glen Parker, F. D. Wright, G. P. Caster, E. B. Boach, Colonel John A. Cooper, W. H. Taylor, James Strang, John Melady, E. W. Appleby, A. G. Lingley, Douglas Sprague, Douglas Fenwick, Arthur El. Hot Sproul, S. J. Esty and James C. Bettinson.

New York Chapter, Alumnae Association of Trinity College of Washington, held a supper dance in the music room of the Biltmore Friday night. The affair was given for the benefit of the college building fund. The officers of the chapter are: President, Miss Rosemary Sullivan; vice-president, Miss Margaret C. Norman; secretary, Miss Louise Keller, and treasurer, Miss Mary McKenna.

The Ely Alumnae Association will meet at the Hotel Biltmore December 2. The speaker of the day will be Miss J. J. Richards. The officers of the association are: President, Mrs. Holland S. Duell; vice-president, Mrs. Alfred M. Norris; second vice-president, Miss Mary H. Ely; secretary, Mrs. Edward H. Peters; treasurer, Mrs. Howard Greenley. During the season other meetings will be held as follows: December 10, January 6 and 20, February 8 and 17, March 8, 17 and 31, April 7 and 14.

sional Women, has engaged Judge Job E. Hedges and A. Parker Nevin as speakers for the next dinner of the league, Wednesday, at the Café Boulevard. Mrs. Harriett Emmons, president, will speak of business women she met during her recent trip to Ohio and of their activities.

Membership in this club is increasing rapidly, and Miss Lillian Randall, chairman of the membership committee, reports a 25 per cent increase in November. Owing to the increased attendance at the dinner, members are requested to mail their reservations at the earliest possible moment to the chairman of the dinner committee.

The Drama Comedy Club, Miss Edyth Totten, president and founder, gave one of its social matinees at the Academy of Music, Brooklyn, Tuesday. The program opened with an organ solo, "Egmont," by Carl Figue, musical director of the club, after which the Drama Comedy Chorus gave "The Night," by Kjerulf, and "Concert of the Nightingale," by Bechtel. Miss Clara

Bernard, mezzo-soprano, sang a solo, assisted by the Misses Hildegarde Bayers, coloratura soprano, and Carl Figue, the accompanist being Gladys Webster Arche. "Camille" was given, under the direction of Miss Edyth Totten, by the following cast: Camille, Miss Pauline de Lasser; Monsieur Duval, Harold De Ruffel; Armand, Austin B. Martella; Nanine, Florence Rothert; Prudence, Miss Myrtle Schiffman. This was followed by the appearance of the Drama Comedy Quartet sang a group of songs.

"An Incident," a play in one act, was given by Miss Estelle Compton and Miss Clara F. Rice. Theresa Miller appeared in "The Little Major," which closed the program.

The Thanksgiving dance of the club was given in the Academy of Music Friday night. On December 4 the Drama Comedy Kiddies will give a performance at the Academy of Music and on December 7 an "at home" will be given by Miss Totten at the Brooklyn clubhouse, 35 Lafayette Avenue.

### Musical Tea Arranged

A musical tea has been arranged by Mrs. Walter Randel, chairman of ways and means of the Harlem Council of Women, for Tuesday at the Y. W. C. A., Lenox Avenue and 124th Street.

Mrs. J. W. Brandeis will sing several arias by different composers, and a talk will be given by a representative from the Marshall Stillman movement on the "gang" element in New York and the best way to cope with it.

The Women's Health Protective Association, Mrs. Ralph Trautman president, will meet December 7. Miss Agnes Ward, general superintendent of nurses at the Metropolitan Hospital on Blackwell's Island, will deliver an address on "The Human Side of Municipal Activities," and will illustrate her lecture with slides. The meeting will be held in the Hotel Astor. Mrs. William G. Smalley, who has been acting in war work in France and has been doing work for the French government, will speak on her experiences in France and how the American soldiers were treated there. The club also will elect officers, and reports for the year of the philanthropic and other work will be presented.

Mrs. Natalie Laimbeer, chairman of the program committee of the New York League of Business and Profes-

MISS JOHNSON will be introduced to society in Washington on Saturday. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards Johnson.

Miss Wheeler was presented to society in Washington last week, at a reception given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Wheeler.

Miss Bacon will be introduced to Washington society December 28 by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Bacon.

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